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Application of

Toshiaki FUJII

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SAMPLE AND COMPOSITE

CHARGED PARTICLE BEAM

APPARATUS

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER PATENT RULES 97 AND 98

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Applicant submits this information disclosure statement pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98.

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This application has not received a first Office Action on the merits. Accordingly, this information disclosure statement is being filed under 37 CFR §1.97(b)(3), i.e., before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.

Information Disclosure Statement

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.98, a list of patents, publications or other information submitted for consideration by the PTO is provided on annexed Form PTO-1449. A legible copy of each item of information listed on the Form is submitted herewith.

Consideration of this information disclosure statement is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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